

Southwestern North Carolina Economic Development Report



Building Activity				
Residential Building Permits		2010	2011	2012
New Units	Cherokee	108	87	101
	Clay	41	40	32
	Graham	29	14	21
	Haywood	380	445	377
	Jackson	155	99	125
	Macon	77	77	82
	Swain	46	54	38
Total Value (\$)	Cherokee	\$19,133,389	\$15,238,703	\$16,019,726
	Clay	\$7,122,138	\$6,510,900	\$7,723,303
	Graham	\$4,107,707	\$1,323,492	\$2,997,670
	Haywood	\$32,714,503	\$59,128,332	\$34,170,103
	Jackson	\$46,178,032	\$49,851,804	\$43,358,644
	Macon	\$20,246,092	\$20,930,971	\$22,595,366
	Swain	\$9,259,786	\$10,023,791	\$6,432,000

<http://censtats.census.gov/bldg/bldgprmt.shtml>

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Business Patterns in WNC				
Area	Number of Establishments Total	Employment Total Covered Sept. 2013	12-month percent change in employment total covered Sept. 2012- Sept. 2013	
Cherokee County	715	7,686	-1.70%	
Clay County	255	1,915	-1.10%	
Graham County	208	2,205	-0.70%	
Haywood County	1,450	16,813	1.00%	
Jackson County	1,045	12,935	3.40%	
Macon County	1,143	10,893	-0.30%	
Swain County	417	9,317	5.40%	

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